REMARKS

The present amendment seeks to place the application in better conformance with U.S. practice. A page containing an Abstract of the Disclosure to replace the present abstract page is enclosed.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is titled "VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE".

Entry of the amendment is requested.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Delete the title of the application, appearing in pages 1 and 40, and insert therefor: --THERMOPLASTIC RESINS WITH A LOW PROPORTION OF COARSE PARTICLES--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 7, 14, 15 and 16.

Amend Claims 3-6 and 8-13 as follows:

- 3. Homo- and/or co-polymers according to [either claim 1 or 2] <u>Claim 1</u>, characterised in that they contain \leq 1000 ppm of coarse portions having a mean particle diameter of from 100 to 200 μ m.
- 4. Homo- and/or co-polymers according to [any one of claims 1 to 3] Claim 1, characterised in that they contain \leq 500 ppm of coarse portions having a mean particle diameter of from 100 to 200 μ m.
- 5. Homo- and/or co-polymers according to [any one of claims 1 to 4] Claim 1, characterised in that they contain \leq 10,000 ppm of coarse portions having a mean particle diameter of from 50 to 100 μ m.
- 6. Homo- and/or co-polymers according to [any one of claims 1 to 5] Claim 1, characterised in that they contain \leq 5000 ppm of coarse portions having a mean particle diameter of from 50 to 100 μ m.
- 8. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to Claim [7] 17, characterised in that they contain graft polymers of resin-forming vinyl polymers from a rubber.
- 9. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to [either claim 7 or claim 8] Claim 17, characterised in that they contain thermoplastic polycarbonates and/or polyester carbonates.
- 10. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to [any one of claims7 to 9] Claim 17, characterised in that they contain polyesters.

- 11. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to [any one of claims 7 to 10] Claim 17, characterised in that they contain flameproofing agents.
- 12. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to [any one of claims 7 to 11] Claim 17, characterised in that they contain inorganic compounds.
- 13. Thermoplastic moulding compositions according to [any one of claims7 to 12] Claim 17, characterised in that they contain polyolefins.

Add the following new claims:

- --17. A thermoplastic molding composition comprising the homo- and/or co-polymer of Claim 1.
- 18. A method of using the thermoplastic molding composition of Claim 17 comprising molding an article therefrom.
 - 19. The molded article made by the method of Claim 18.--